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Baltimore NPR stations does segment on Sauer Dump Superfund site. HSCD's Linda Dietz was interviewed on the Maryland Morning Show on WYPR in Baltimore for a feature on the Sauer Dump Superfund Site in Dundalk, Md. Linda provided some background on the site and also explained the process of how a cleanup site gets put on the National Priority List. You can listen to the segment on the WYPR website. http://mdmorn.wordpress.com/2012/03/26/326121/ (Roy Seneca 814-5567)

National Public Radio runs segment on Dimock – A Town Divided. Reporter Susan Phillips from WHYY in Philadelphia did a segment on National Public Radio that focused on how the natural gas boom in Pennsylvania's Susquehanna County has led to divided community among residents who support and oppose the widespread hydrofracking activities in Dimock, Pa. A text version of the segment is posted on the State Impact Pennsylvania website: http://stateimpact.npr.org/pennsylvania/2012/03/28/dimock-a-town-divided/ (Roy Seneca 814-5567)

Bloomberg News runs article on methane in Dimock water samples. Reporter Mark Drajem from Bloomberg News wrote an article that focused on how independent scientists interpreted water sampling data from 11 homes in Dimock as containing high levels of methane. The scientists claimed that elevated levels of methane reported in EPA's analyses is a sign that natural gas from the Marcellus Shale is migrating to the surface water table. The article noted that an email response from EPA stated that EPA notified state and local officials about the methane. (Terri White 814-5523 and Roy Seneca 814-5567)

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